

MATTRESSES • BOX SPRINGS • HEAD BOARDS •

# Spring Air

## INSTITUTIONAL CATALOG



STEEL BED FRAMES • LEGS

HOTELS, MOTELS, SCHOOLS, COLLEGES,  
NURSES' HOMES AND HOSPITALS



# Spring-Air CONSTRUCTION...Federal Specification VM-96A Type 2

## BODY SUPPORT ZONE COILS

More closely spaced and more tightly wound. Concentrated in this area for added support to heavier parts of body. Alternately left and right wound . . . to prevent one-way pull and "leaning."

## HEAD OR FOOT ZONE COILS

These are larger in diameter across face, for buoyant support to lighter portions of body. Alternately left and right wound to prevent side-sway.

## HELICAL ASSEMBLY

All coils are joined together with helicals, and held in place by "camel humps" to assure complete flexibility . . . no slipping or binding.

## END COILS

Offset design, both right and left wound to eliminate sidesway. These coils keep ends of mattress strong, prevent sag.

## CORNER COILS

Almost cylindrical in shape, and offset to outer edge for greatest tension strength. These give support and preserve shape of mattress at all four corners.

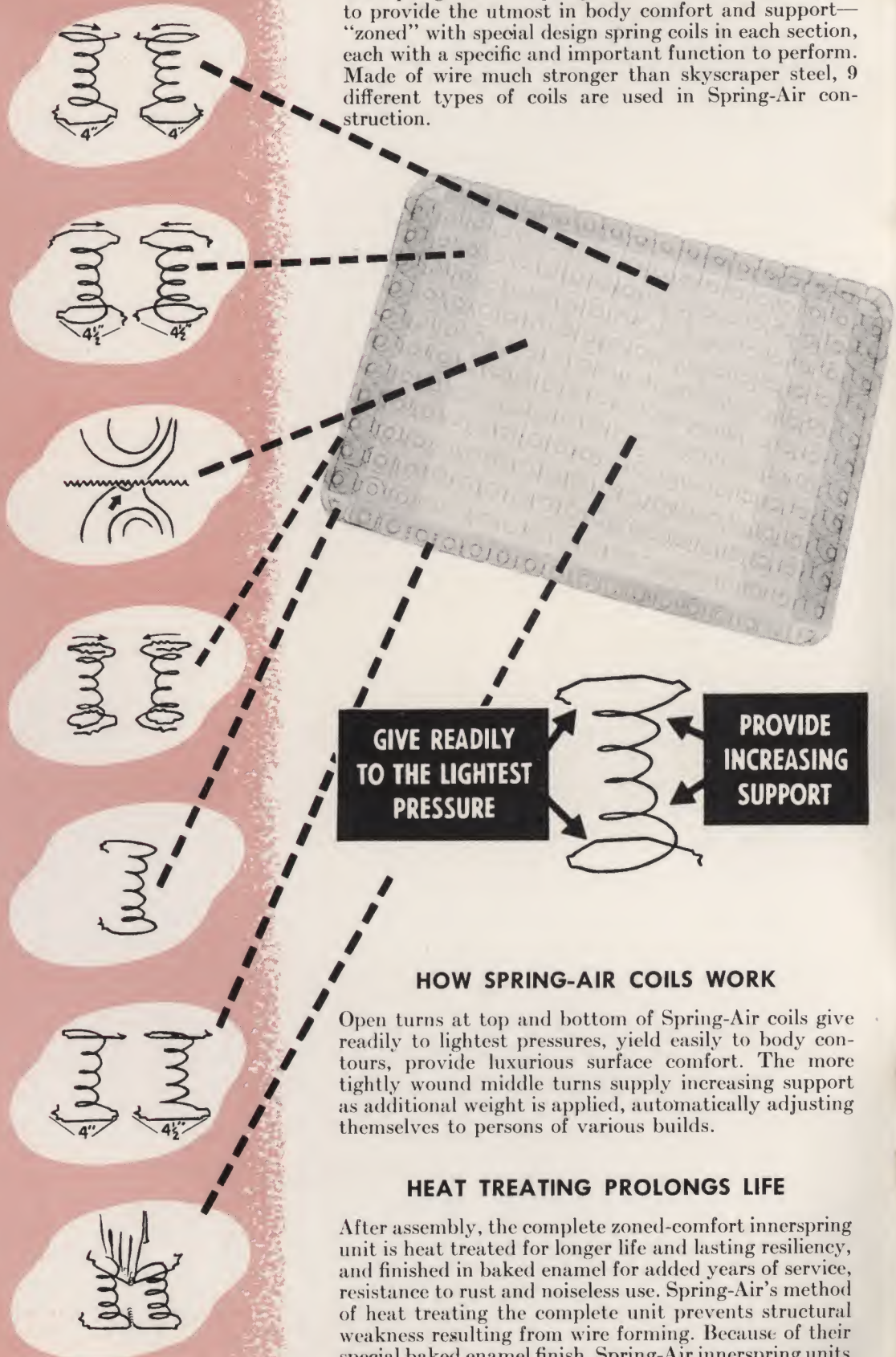
## BORDER COILS

Specially strong with strength offset to the outer edge, to prevent sag and resist breakdown usually caused by sitting on edge of bed.

## INDIVIDUAL COIL ACTION

Once a mattress is completely assembled, there is no such thing as individual coil action. That's why Spring-Air builds entire unit so that all coils will function together. Note how sensitive and responsive Spring-Air coils are to pressure points.

The Spring-Air innerspring unit is scientifically designed to provide the utmost in body comfort and support—"zoned" with special design spring coils in each section, each with a specific and important function to perform. Made of wire much stronger than skyscraper steel, 9 different types of coils are used in Spring-Air construction.



GIVE READILY  
TO THE LIGHTEST  
PRESSURE

PROVIDE  
INCREASING  
SUPPORT

## HOW SPRING-AIR COILS WORK

Open turns at top and bottom of Spring-Air coils give readily to lightest pressures, yield easily to body contours, provide luxurious surface comfort. The more tightly wound middle turns supply increasing support as additional weight is applied, automatically adjusting themselves to persons of various builds.

## HEAT TREATING PROLONGS LIFE

After assembly, the complete zoned-comfort innerspring unit is heat treated for longer life and lasting resiliency, and finished in baked enamel for added years of service, resistance to rust and noiseless use. Spring-Air's method of heat treating the complete unit prevents structural weakness resulting from wire forming. Because of their special baked enamel finish, Spring-Air innerspring units in use for 20 years on the sea coast, have shown little signs of rust or deteriorating effects of salt water.



# Spring Air UNITS ARE FLEXIBLE AND DURABLE

## WITHSTAND HARD USAGE

### IDEALLY SUITED TO GATCH-TYPE BEDS

Spring-Air mattresses provide unrestrained flexibility, because of special pivot-hinge spring construction. Spring-Air's zoned-comfort innerspring unit automatically adjusts itself to the weight of the patient and body contours . . . conforms to bed and body position changes. Nurses like Spring-Air mattresses because they are easier to handle and turn. Hospital management endorses them because of their ability to withstand the severe stresses and strains encountered in hospital use. Doctors and patients like Spring-Air mattresses because of the rest, relaxation and complete comfort they provide to all persons, regardless of weight or build. As an aid to recovery, Spring-Air supplies surface softness combined with firm innerspring strength for natural-posture support from head to foot.



## Spring-Air Economy is proved through use in over 4,000 Fine Hotels, Motels and Hospitals

Complete rest is an important part of many doctor's prescriptions. *Good* beds rank first with the traveling public in choosing a hotel or motel in which to spend the night. Spring-Air mattresses and box springs are standard equipment in many of the nation's finest institutions. Years of constant use in good hostleries and hospitals located from coast to coast, have proved beyond all doubt, the comfort and long-wearing qualities embodied in Spring-Air construction. Spring-Air construction is approved Federal specification VM-96A Type 2.



HOTEL AND MOTEL MATTRESSES AND BOX SPRINGS—PAGES 10 AND 11

## For Nurses' Homes and Dormitories

Comfort and durability are of first importance in choosing a mattress for the nurse's personal use. If she is to be alert and efficient while on duty, she must have proper rest. Long hours on her feet demand complete relaxation during her sleeping periods. Spring-Air mattresses supply luxurious comfort . . . soothe tired nerves and muscles.

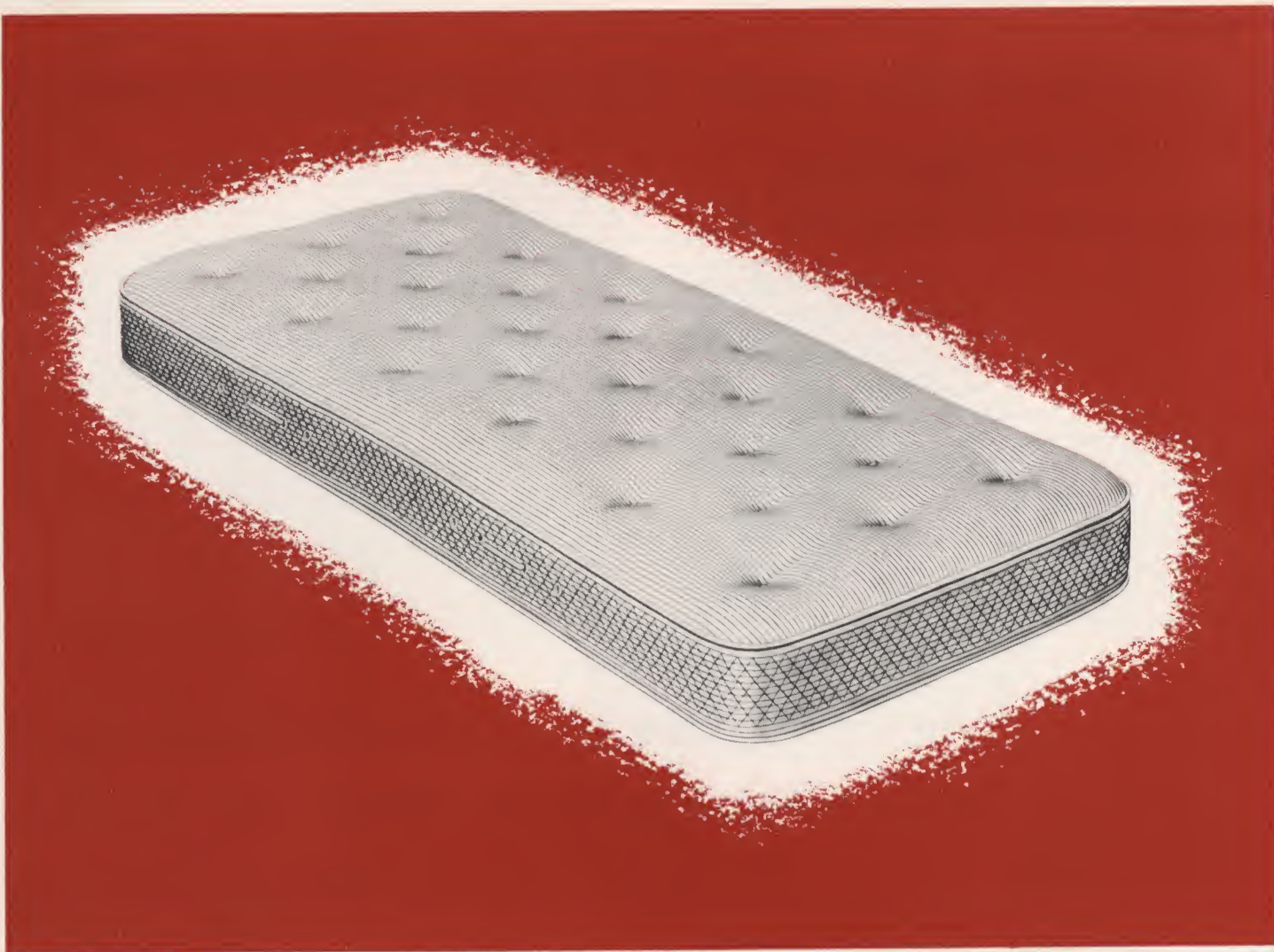
Maintenance cost is unusually low . . . hospital records, covering continuous use of Spring-Air for periods of from ten to twenty years, show the cost to be less than five cents per week per mattress. Spring-Air sleep equipment has proved a good investment for both nurses' homes and school dormitories. Built to withstand the hardest usage and automatically adjustable to body weights and builds, Spring-Air mattresses are available in whatever degree of resiliency is desired, from regular to extra firm.



NURSES' AND DORMITORY BEDS—SHOWN ON PAGES 6 AND 7

HOSPITAL MATTRESSES ARE DESCRIBED IN DETAIL ON PAGES 4 AND 5





# *Spring Air* HOSPITAL MATTRESSES

AVAILABLE WITH PRE-BUILT BORDER OR ROLLED EDGE



The Spring-Air innerspring hospital mattress combines the exclusive zoned-comfort construction with the finest upholstery and high quality ticking for long wear. Felting is of the best long fibre cotton and high-grade linters, thoroughly mixed and precompressed for added life and resiliency. A durable spring cover prevents the upholstery from sagging into the spring coils. Steel backed flush-type grips threaded through metal grommets for extra strength, make the mattress easy to handle and turn. The Spring-Air hospital mattress is available with rolled edge, or with heavily backed, machine stitched pre-built border, tape-edged to ticking. Vents scientifically located, permit constant "breathing" and keep mattress fresh and clean inside.

## **INNERSPRING CONSTRUCTION BASICALLY SAME**

Type and arrangement of innerspring coils are the same in each Spring-Air mattress. Models differ in gauge and weight of spring wire used for more or less support as required, but each offers the advantages of Spring-Air's remarkable surface comfort . . . gentle yield to all body contours, combined with firm innerspring strength for natural-posture body support.





*Spring Air*  
**GOLD OR BLUE TAG  
QUALITY  
HOSPITAL  
MATTRESS**

Spring-Air's GOLD or BLUE TAG innerspring unit (guaranteed 10 years) makes this the finest hospital mattress manufactured. This is the same type of unit used in the famous Back Supporter mattress, used and recommended by many Doctors. In every detail of design and construction this is a top quality mattress throughout. Widely used for backache sufferers because it is extra firm.

**SPECIFICATIONS**

- Gold or Blue Tag Hospital Innerspring Unit, guaranteed for 10 years.
- 8 oz. ACA Ticking.
- Strong flush-type handles on pre-built border; strap handles on rolled edge model.
- Best quality spring cover . . . highest quality precompressed cotton felting.
- Sizes to fit ALL hospital beds.

*Spring Air*  
**RED TAG  
QUALITY  
HOSPITAL  
MATTRESS**

The standard of comparison in hospital mattresses. Contains sturdy but flexible RED TAG innerspring unit (guaranteed 10 years) and embodies all of the fine features on which Spring-Air's reputation has been built. Wonderful patient comfort . . . unsurpassed durability, proved through constant rugged use in fine hospitals everywhere. Best for most people.

**SPECIFICATIONS**

- Red Tag Hospital Innerspring Unit, guaranteed 10 years.
- 8 oz. ACA Ticking.
- Strong flush-type handles on pre-built border; strap handles on rolled edge model.
- Fine quality spring cover . . . highest quality precompressed cotton felting.
- Sizes to fit ALL hospital beds.

*Spring Air*  
**SILVER TAG  
QUALITY  
HOSPITAL  
MATTRESS**

Here's the mattress for limited budgets . . . a fine quality that renders good comfort and service. Contains a genuine Spring-Air SILVER TAG innerspring unit (guaranteed 5 years), plus fine quality materials and construction throughout. Very durable . . . A good value.

**SPECIFICATIONS**

- Silver Tag Hospital Innerspring Unit, guaranteed 5 years.
- 8 oz. ACA ticking.
- Flush type grips on pre-built border; strap handles on rolled edge model.
- Fine quality spring cover and cotton felting.
- Sizes for ALL hospital beds.







# *Spring Air* NURSES' AND DORMITORY BEDS

**Mattresses available with Pre-Built Border or with Rolled Edge**



In choosing sleep equipment for nurses' homes or college dormitories, there are two important factors to be considered: the ability of the equipment to stand up under constant, hard use and its adaptability to the sleep requirements of many different persons of widely varying weights and builds. The equipment chosen must be comfortable, but it must also be strong and durable. Spring-Air zoned comfort construction meets these tests.

## **AVAILABLE IN SIZES TO SUIT REQUIREMENTS**

Spring-Air's range of models affords a choice of twin or full size mattresses in standard or extra lengths. Varying widths are also available. All Spring-Air mattresses incorporate the famous zoned-comfort innerspring unit . . . all are obtainable with either pre-built border or rolled edge as desired.

## **HEADBOARDS, STEEL BED FRAMES, LEGS**

The complete four-piece outfit shown above includes innerspring mattress with matching box spring, attractive headboard with washable plastic covering, sturdy steel bed frame or Hollywood bed legs. For headboards, bed frames and legs see pages 12, 13, 14.



# Spring Air NURSES' BEDS



## SPECIFICATIONS

### RED TAG QUALITY

- Red Tag Innerspring Unit, guaranteed 10 years
- Ticking, 6-1/5 or 8-oz.
- Pre-built border or Rolled Edge
- Finest upholstery and mattress cover
- Any size

### SILVER TAG QUALITY

- Silver Tag Unit, guaranteed 5 years.
- Ticking 6-1/5 or 8-oz.
- Pre-built border or rolled edge
- Any size

**RED TAG QUALITY**—The Spring-Air Red Tag innerspring unit (guaranteed 10 years) makes this mattress the choice of hospitals where maximum comfort and greatest durability are first considerations. Best model for most people.

**BOX SPRING**—For best service and comfort, a special box spring is available to match the construction and features of the Red Tag Quality Mattress.

**SILVER TAG QUALITY**—Built to render good comfort and service at a minimum of cost. Contains genuine Spring-Air Silver Tag Innerspring Unit (guaranteed for 5 years). Available in different sizes, in either pre-built border or rolled edge construction.

**BOX SPRING**—Matching quality for maximum comfort and service when used with Silver Tag Quality Mattress. Important to restful sleep.

# Spring Air DORMITORY BEDS

**RED TAG QUALITY**—The best there is for comfort, rest and relaxation. Famous for durability and economy. Fully withstands rugged service by students. Contains Red Tag Innerspring Unit (guaranteed 10 years). Available with pre-built border or rolled edge.

**BOX SPRING**—Matching the Red Tag Quality Mattress for best comfort and service. Proved through use.

**SILVER TAG QUALITY**—Designed to render good but economical service. Available with pre-built border or rolled edge and contains Spring-Air Silver Tag Innerspring Unit (guaranteed for 5 years). An excellent value.

**BOX SPRING**—Good quality to match the Silver Tag Quality Mattress for best possible comfort and service.



## SPECIFICATIONS

### RED TAG QUALITY

- Red Tag Unit, guaranteed 10 years
- 6-1/5 or 8 oz. ACA ticking
- Finest spring cover; best quality upholstery
- Pre-built border or rolled edge
- Any size

### SILVER TAG QUALITY

- Silver Tag Unit, guaranteed 5 years
- 6-1/5 or 8 oz. ACA ticking
- Good quality cotton felting and good spring cover
- Pre-built border or rolled edge
- Any size





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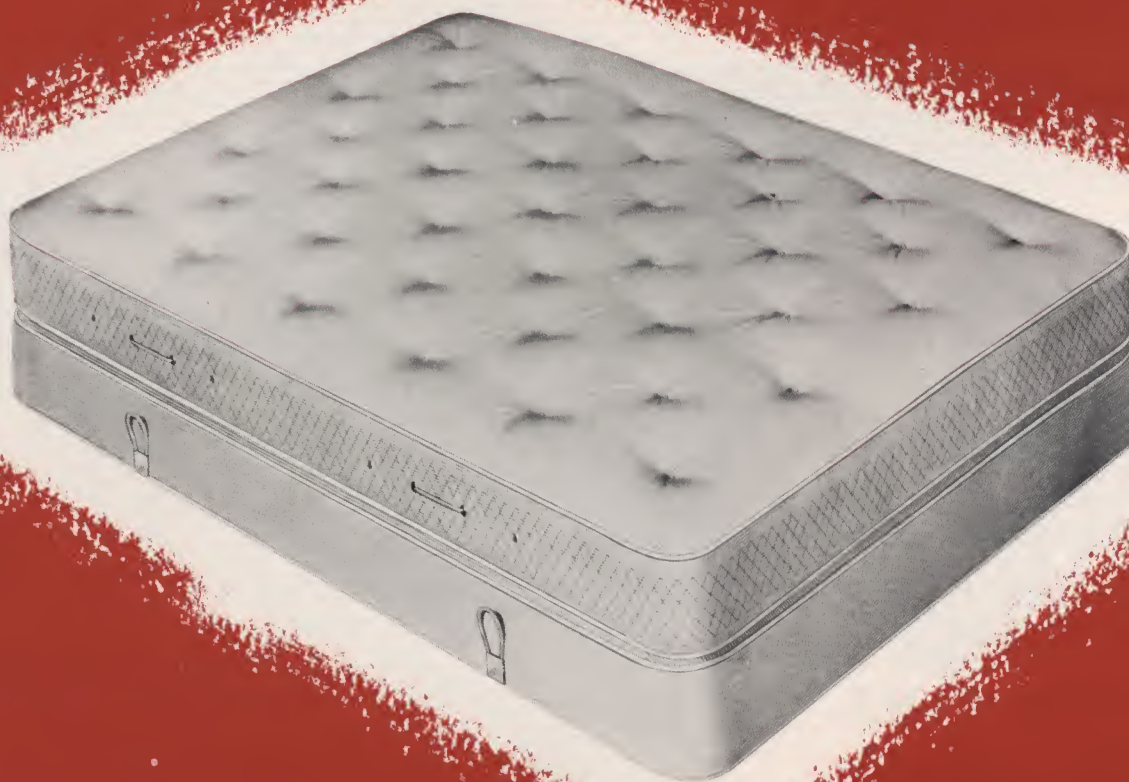




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THAN 4000 FINE  
GOOD *Hospitals*







# *Spring Air* HOTEL-MOTEL MATTRESSES

## AVAILABLE IN ALL SIZES — THREE QUALITIES



### ALL-STEEL or HAND-TIED BOX SPRINGS

Box springs, in regular all-steel "zoned comfort" construction or in standard "hand-tied" construction, are available in tickings to match the Hotel Mattress of your choice.

A hotel or motel could be beautifully furnished, supply the best of food and render superb service, and yet if it lacked good beds, it would have difficulty in establishing itself as a first class hostelry. Successful hotels and motels recognize the importance of furnishing *luxurious rest for every guest*. That's why thousands of the nation's best hotels and motels have chosen Spring-Air mattresses and box springs as standard equipment. Three Spring-Air models are available (each in regular, extra-long or extra-wide) all with the same basic zoned-comfort innerspring construction, but differing in degrees of "firmness" offered as well as in quality of ticking. ALL are built to take it! . . . border coils are strong to resist sag or breakdown from guests sitting on edge of bed.

### MATCHING BOX SPRING IMPORTANT

Spring-Air box springs are engineered and built with specific support-values to "match" the various models of Spring-Air mattresses . . . to provide complete relaxation and maximum sleep comfort, even for "hard-to-please" guests. By using matching box springs, better service and longer life of mattress is assured.

**FOR HEADBOARDS AND LEGS, SEE PAGES 12, 13, 14**



## *Spring Air* GOLD OR BLUE TAG QUALITY HOTEL-MOTEL MATTRESS

The finest Hotel-type mattress on the market today. Contains genuine Spring-Air *Gold or Blue Tag* zoned-comfort innerspring unit—similar to unit used in famous Back Supporter mattress, recommended and used by many Doctors. Durable, yet very comfortable. Fine for very heavy people. Unit guaranteed 10 years.

### SPECIFICATIONS

- GOLD OR BLUE TAG Innerspring Unit—guaranteed 10 years
- TICKING: 6-1/5 or 8-oz. ACA
- HANDLES: Strong, flush-type grips
- UPHOLSTERY: Best quality pre-compressed cotton felting—fine spring cover
- SIZES: Any size required

## *Spring Air* RED TAG QUALITY HOTEL-MOTEL MATTRESS

The standard of comparison in Hotel-type mattresses. Best for most people. Has genuine Spring-Air *Red Tag* zoned-comfort innerspring unit, guaranteed 10 years. Proved through use in thousands of hotels in the United States, Canada and Mexico. Names of prominent users furnished upon request.

### SPECIFICATIONS

- RED TAG Innerspring Unit, guaranteed 10 years
- TICKING: 6-1/5 or 8-oz. ACA
- HANDLES: Strong flush-type grips
- UPHOLSTERY: Best quality pre-compressed cotton felting—fine spring cover
- SIZES: Any size required

## *Spring Air* SILVER TAG QUALITY HOTEL-MOTEL MATTRESS

A very fine value for those hotels and motels desiring good sleep equipment at restricted budget costs. Contains genuine Spring-Air *Silver Tag* zoned-comfort innerspring unit, guaranteed for 5 years. Good quality throughout, for guest comfort and mattress durability. The best mattress in its price class.

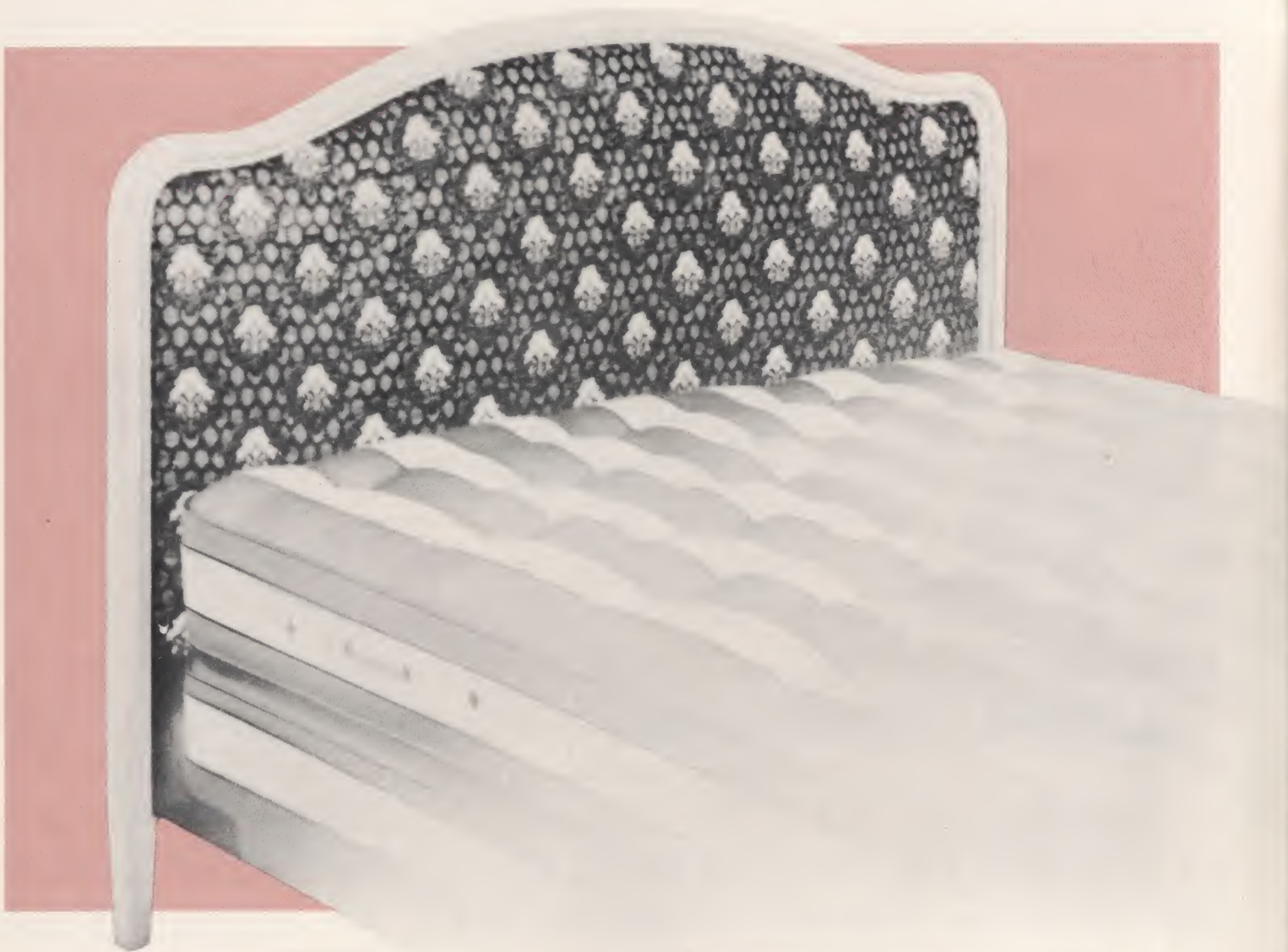
### SPECIFICATIONS

- SILVER TAG Innerspring Unit, guaranteed 5 years
- TICKING: 6-1/5 or 8-oz. ACA
- HANDLES: Sturdy flush-type
- UPHOLSTERY: Good quality felting . . . good spring cover
- SIZES: Any size required





# *Decorative* HEADBOARDS AVAILABLE



Above: Typical plain, curved top, with welt edge in back.

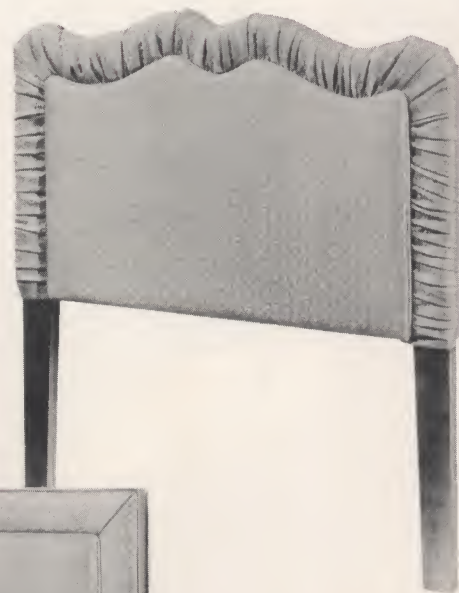


Typical bookcase design with grommet provided for lamp or radio cord.



# IN MANY DIFFERENT MODELS — USUAL WIDTHS

The beautiful headboard featured at the left, and the others on these pages are typical of the wide variety of styles and shapes available. All headboards are sturdily built with frame of hardwood, furnished with legs finished in your choice of Mahogany, Walnut, Honey Maple or Blonde. All the usual widths can be supplied and any style selected can be covered in a choice of attractive coverings. Consult your Spring-Air supplier for complete catalog of headboard designs, samples of colorful, durable coverings, and wide variety of prices.



*Above: Typical fancy shape, shirred edge, removable front panel.*



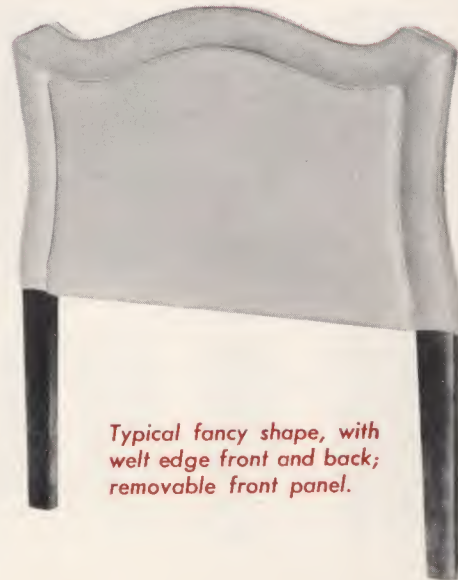
*Left: Typical square-type, removable front panel. Welt edge front and back.*



*Above: Typical five buttons, notch-cut top, welt edge front and back.*



*Right: Typical plain, double curve top, wedge shape, welt edge in back.*



*Typical fancy shape, with welt edge front and back; removable front panel.*





## METAL BED FRAMES, HOLLYWOOD BED LEGS AND ADJUSTABLE STEEL ANGLE BRACKETS



**METAL BED FRAMES:** Strong, sturdy frames of steel, adjustable to 39", 48" and 54" widths. Finished in brown enamel. Easy to use; easy to keep clean; strong and durable. Contact your Spring-Air supplier for complete, detailed information.

**ADJUSTABLE STEEL ANGLE BRACKETS:** For use with Hollywood Headboards or on legs. Shown at left, in box.

**HOLLYWOOD BED LEGS:** Available in models shown at left, listed below. Standard wood finishes are Mahogany, Walnut, Honey Maple and Blonde. Made from hard wood. Available in the following styles:

Lawson leg with metal plate. 6" high.

Lawson leg with dowel screw attached. 6" high.

Lawson leg with caster and metal plate. 6" high.

Lawson leg with caster and dowel screw. 6" high.

Lawson leg with caster and hanger bolt. 6" high.

Lawson leg with metal glide and hanger bolt. 6" high.



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